

# NEVADA STATE JOURNAL.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1894.

## A REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN ARGUMENT.

Senator Jones, in his letter to the Chairman of the Republican State Central Committee announcing his withdrawal from the Republican party, said:

"Having become firmly convinced that the Republican party organization is entirely opposed to the free coinage of silver at the American ratio of 16 to 1, or at all, except with the consent of foreign Governments, and at a ratio to be dictated by them, I have to announce that I can no longer act with that party."

In the East this is used as an argument in favor of the Republican party. The "Boston Journal," the leading Republican paper of New England, says "Senator Jones gives the Republican party a certificate of soundness on the money issue, and a most admirable campaign argument in his letter of withdrawal." The fact that so eminent an authority on money as Senator Jones should leave the Republican party because he is firmly convinced that the party is opposed to free coinage; is used by the party in the East as an argument in favor of restoring the party power in Washington.

In the Republican strongholds east of the Mississippi the party press and leaders do not attempt to deny the hostility of the party to silver. They are unalterably opposed to free coinage, and so declare in their platforms and on the stump. They use no such disguise as "interconvertibility" to deceive the ordinary voter. Not so, however, with their double-dealing, hypocritical brethren in Nevada. Here they declare for free coinage and assume an air of sincerity that is calculated to deceive the unsophisticated; in the East they declare against silver coinage, and point to the defection of Senator Jones as proof that the party is sound on the gold question. Here the leaders want office and see no hope of gratifying their ambition except by deluding the people with the erroneous idea that the Republican party favors free coinage.

In the face of the record, it requires indurated cheek to contend that the party, whose ideal statesman is Senator Sherman of Ohio, favors the free coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 or at all. Every intelligent Republican knows it does not and laughs in his sleeve at anybody who is foolish enough to think otherwise.

## MONEY IN CIRCULATION.

The Treasury statement of the money in circulation in the United States on September 1st shows a considerable reduction during the previous year. The total amount is given at \$1,616,671,481, or about \$21 per capita for the whole population of the country. This is \$10,902,755 less than was reported August 1st, and \$34,000,000 less than was reported as being in circulation on September 1, 1893. There is much more money in the banks now than there was a year ago, but the money stored in the bank vaults and the money hoarded by individuals and taken out of circulation, is included in the computation of the Treasury Department. Every dollar in paper or coin issued by the Government since 1860 and not redeemed is set down as being in circulation.

This, of course, is misleading. Millions of paper money has been destroyed in one way or another, yet it is computed as being in actual circulation. Gold coins that have been buried or put away in tin cans and old stockings, and which is as useless to the country as it is the bottom of the Pacific ocean, is reckoned by the Treasury experts as being in circulation, as is also the gold taken out of the country in the pockets of tourists.

But the Treasury Department desires to create the impression that there is abundance of money in the country. That is the Wall street idea, and the Treasury echoes the sentiments of the gold brokers. They insist that money is plentiful though a bushel of wheat commands but sixty cents, and men seek in vain for employment at living wages.

## THE DEMOCRATIC QUARREL.

At the Presidential election in 1892 the Cleveland Electors received 714 votes in the State of Nevada. Since then a number of those who voted for Mr. Cleveland have declared themselves members of the Silver party or the People's party. The others have divided into two factions each claiming to be the original Jacobs or Simon pure Democrats. Both have held State Conventions, neither of which could in any sense be considered a representative body. The Harris faction acted upon the authority vested in them by the Winnemucca Democratic State Convention of 1892, which nominated the late G. W. Cassidy for Congress and C. H. Belknap for Justice of the Supreme Court and elected a State Central Committee, of which H. Harris was chosen Chairman. The Dennis faction claim title by reason of the secession of eight or nine members from the main committee, and setting up on their own account. The Secretary of State, who is a Republican, and naturally intent on creating as much confusion as possible in the Democratic ranks, recognizes the Dennis, or bolted, faction, and the matter may be taken into the courts to determine which of the two factions is entitled to a place on the ticket under the Australian Ballot law.

It looks like the battle of the frogs and mice in Esop's fables.

## PAYS THE PENALTY WITH HIS LIFE.

LEHI, Utah, September 14.—Enoch Davis, wife murderer, is dead. The life was shot out of him at 11:40 o'clock this morning by six specially deputized executioners whose identity to the public is unknown. The shooting took place in a dry hollow six miles north of Lehi. Davis was conveyed to the fatal spot direct from the penitentiary under an escort of armed United States officials. It was only with the utmost vigilance that at 2 o'clock this morning Deputy Marshall Fowler got the executioners out of town unseen. The men were driven out of the city by a circuitous route in a closed carriage and pitched their tent in the foothills about a mile east of the railroad. After bidding goodbye to his brother and two sons he was placed in a chair and a piece of paper placed over his heart, at which the executioners aimed when the signal was given. Five bullets hit the paper, while one missed. Davis died game.

## Congressman Wilson's Opinion

LONDON, September 14.—Congressman Wilson said to-day, Maine's situation prevents the State from being the index of the political currents of the United States. Wilson stated that President Cleveland had no thought of a nomination. Reed and McKinley were Republican candidates, but he thought the Republican party would select a tariff conservative like Allison. The United States will never revert to protection and the tariff will not be attacked when Congress meets.

## Mohammedans and Hindus Fighting.

BOMBAY, September 14.—Rioting between Mohammedans and Hindus at Hoornan City continues. All business is suspended and the streets are patrolled by troops. Fourteen Brahmins have issued a pamphlet urging the Hindus to arms and inaugurate a religious outbreak as the first step toward the overthrow of an alien power.

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## Clerks and Judges.

The following persons have been chosen by the Central Committee as Judges and Clerks for the People's primaries to be held to-day at the engine house at 1 o'clock: G. W. Buckland, D. W. O'Connor, O. H. Perry, J. W. Phillips and Ed. Cochran.

## Masonic Meetings.

Second degree Wednesday evening, September 12th; third degree Saturday evening, September 15th, at 8 p. m. Fourth section Saturday evening. Members and sojourning brethren in good standing are cordially invited to attend.

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## DENNIS DEMOCRATS.

They Meet in Convention and Nominate a Ticket.

What is known as the Dennis faction of the few hundred Democrats in Nevada held a State Convention in Carson yesterday. Like the Yerington-Fulton Combination, which assembled in Reno, and the Harris Convention, which met at Carson a few days ago, the "left" of the delegates were from Ormsby, Storey and Washoe counties, and the "great East" was conspicuous by its absence.

Chairman Dennis called the meeting to order, S. S. Sears was elected Temporary Chairman, the usual committees were appointed and a recess taken. Upon reassembling the following ticket was nominated by acclamation: Congressman—B. F. Riley of Humboldt.

Governor—Theodore Winters of Washoe.

Controller—D. H. Hall of Eureka.

Treasurer—W. D. Thompson of Storey.

Attorney General—W. C. Grimes of Washoe.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—S. S. Sears of Washoe.

State Printer—James Murray of Washoe.

Regent (long term)—J. W. Hyslop of Ormsby.

Regent (short term)—A. Wiseman of Elko.

The platform endorses Cleveland's administration in the strongest terms, and demands the full and unlimited coinage of silver. It also declares emphatically against the Funding bill, is in favor of the appointment of a National Board of Arbitration to adjust all differences arising between employers and employees and endorses Cleveland's action with regard to the tariff.

After a State Central Committee was selected the convention adjourned.

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**When she became Mrs., we clung to Castoria.**

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at the expense  
of the Body.  
While we drive  
the brain we  
must build up  
the body. Ex-  
ercise, pure air  
—foods that  
make healthy flesh—refreshing  
sleep—such are methods. When  
loss of flesh, strength and nerve  
become apparent your physician  
will doubtless tell you that the  
quickest builder of all three is



**Scott's Emulsion**  
of Cod Liver Oil, which not only  
creates flesh of and in itself, but  
stimulates the appetite for other  
foods.

Prepared by Scott & Bowen, N.Y. All druggists.

### TIME TABLES.

Time of Arrival and Departure of Trains at Reno.

ARRIVES	TRAIN.	DEPARTS
9:25 p.m.	ROTHBACH PACIFIC	9:35 p.m.
No. 1, Eastbound Express	9:35 p.m.	8:15 a.m.
8:15 p.m.	No. 3, Eastbound fast mail	8:25 a.m.
8:15 p.m.	No. 2, Westbound Express	8:30 p.m.
8:15 p.m.	No. 4, Westbound	8:35 p.m.
8:15 a.m.	WILLIAMSON & THOMAS	8:45 a.m.
8:05 p.m.	No. 1, Virginia Express	8:15 a.m.
8:05 p.m.	No. 2, San Fran. Express	8:20 p.m.
11:10 a.m.	No. 3, Local Passenger	1:45 p.m.
4:15 p.m.	N. G. O. RY.	8:30 a.m.
	Express and Freight	

Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL	ARRIVES	CLOSES
San Francisco, Sacramento and points in California and Oregon	8:15 a.m., 4:00 p.m.	9:25 p.m.
Orden, an Eastern point	9:25 p.m.	7:15 p.m.
Carson City and all Southern points	8:05 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
Sussville and all points north	4:15 p.m.	8:00 a.m.

Buffalo Meadows and Sheephead mail arrives every Thursday at 10 A.M. and close every Friday at 8:00 A.M.

V. & T. looked ponch from Virginia and Carson arrives at 11:45 A.M.; mail for same closes at 1:30 P.M.

Postoffice Hours:  
From 9:00 A.M. to 6 P.M. Sundays from 9 to 10 A.M.

### BREVITIES.

Fifty cases of butter were shipped west last night.

A girl wants a situation Enquire at Virginia Hotel

C. C. Wallace passed eastward yesterday morning.

J. W. Dorsey, the attorney, passed through bound west last night.

See 50-cent column for furnished rooms wanted in good location.

Wm VanBuren's two children are reported very sick with typhoid fever.

J. R. Judge, the Carson attorney, changed cars for California last night.

Miss Helm of Fresno, who has been visiting Mrs. T. K. Stewart, left for home last night.

An offensive breath, either from indigestion or catarrh, is cured by using Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

The Republican County Convention will convene at the Opera House this morning at 10 o'clock.

The attention of the ladies is directed to the advertisement of Miss Talbot and Mrs. Buckland in another column.

Are you using liquid Viavi for Catarrh? If not get some at once at the Viavi Co.'s on 4th street.

Mrs. E. HUNTER.

C. B. Bernard left last evening for San Francisco to resume his former position at the Pacific Business College.

The attention of members of I. O. O. F. and A. O. U. W. is directed to the funeral notices of their respective lodges.

The Seventh Day Adventists are holding a camp meeting at Wadsworth. A number of leading ministers are in attendance.

Henry Morris is the only barber in town that is running three chairs. Patrons of his shop do not have to wait their turn.

C. H. Stoddard has declined the nomination for State Controller on the ticket that he was placed on a few days ago at Carson.

The largest assortment of heating stoves, parlor stoves, cook stoves and ranges, crockery and lamps at panic prices at Lange & Schmitt's.

As an expectorant, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral instantly relieves the bronchial tubes of the mucus that obstructs and irritates them.

When the hair begins to fall out or turn gray, the scalp needs doctoring, and we know of no better specific than Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

C. C. Wallace arrived from Carson last evening, where he looked after the Democratic convention held there yesterday, and remained over to engineer the Republican nominations to-day.

The following Wadsworth delegates to the Republican County Convention arrived last night: Archibald Steele, T. H. Bastian, T. G. Herman, Dr. Jackson, A. Griswold and J. Z. Babcock.

### STATE VS. HARTLEY.

A Sad Incident of the Third Day's Proceedings.

The Defendant Breaks Down and Leaves the Court-Room in a Hysterical Condition.

The Court-room was crowded at an early hour with spectators and as the closing scenes of the trial approaches more interest is manifested and speculation as to the outcome is becoming more general.

Opinions are freely expressed regarding the guilt or innocence of the defendant and seem to be about equally divided. The defendant's pitiable condition creates much sympathy for her, even among those who do not believe she was justified in the shooting. Her lady-like demeanor in Court and the patient manner in which she has borne the severe cross-examination, has made a favorable impression on nearly every one. At one point in the cross-examination, where she referred to her unborn child, the defendant broke down and sobbed, but almost immediately recovered her calmness and proceeded. At the close of the cross-examination, and just as her attorney, Judge Goodwin, began to question her he crossed the room to get the chair that Foley had raised over her. At the sight of it she suddenly arose from the witness chair, put her hand to her head and started rapidly for the Court-room door. As she reached it a low cry escaped her lips and as she gained the doorway the audience in the Court-room could hear one hysterical cry after another. Mrs. Wright, the defendant's nurse, and Dr. Phillips hurried out of the room. It was creditable to the large audience in the room that during the confusion a single rap of Judge Cheney's gavel cautioned silence and hardly a person moved until the prisoner had been taken to her room, each person in the Court-room avoiding any demonstration of the morbid curiosity that usually prevails in incidents of this kind. A number of the spectators were visibly affected and when Court was dismissed and the crowd filed down the stairs the eyes of several stern-visaged men were noticed to be moist and there was but little comment or conversation as the crowd moved out, few, if any, being inclined to talk.

In her cross-examination, she stated that she could not say positively that Mrs. Hartley said at that time that she had come from a family of warriors. She had made a remark at one time of that kind, but could not tell just when. She did not think that Mrs. Hartley stated that she was frightened or terror stricken. She did not remember the exact words used; she was her friend and called for that reason. She told the defendant the less said about the matter the better. She said she had told the District Attorney of this a few evenings since, but could not say just when.

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### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Storm—Warm and Cool Waves—Indications Without Results—The Planet Mars.

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ST. JOSEPH Mo., Sept. 14.—My last bulletin gave forecasts of the storm waves to cross the continent from September 14th to 18th and the next will reach the Pacific Coast about September 19th, cross the western mountains by the close of the 20th, the great central valleys from 21st to 23d and the Eastern States about the 24th.

The defendant again described the incidents of the night of the 25th, her resistance, the struggle and Foley's actions and treatment of her, calling her Alice and telling her she might call him Murray.

The cross-examination of the defendant lasted till after 11 o'clock before it was finished. Attorney Goodwin then began to question her when she was taken with hysteria and left the room. Upon taking the stand in the afternoon she testified regarding her acquaintance with Mr. Graves and Mr. Roening and the business she had with them.

Mr. Goodwin asked her why she had declined to give the name of her first husband, maiden name, etc. She replied that her mother was 72 years old, that she was in delicate health and that if she gave the information asked for her situation might become known to her mother through the papers and it would kill her. That her sisters had families and were respected, and rather than to cause them grief or humiliation she would suffer the punishment. For this reason she declined to give her maiden name or widowed name.

Mr. G. O. Wright was recalled and testified regarding the note on which there was such a long examination the preceding day and also regarding the mailing of letters, etc. He was shown the note addressed to him and identified it as one he had received several days before the shooting, but had dropped it or mislaid it; had looked for it, but did not find it. [It was admitted by the State that the note had been found in Mrs. Hartley's apartment after the shooting.]

Mrs. Stewart Logan was called in evidence by the State. She said she had a conversation with Mrs. Hartley on the evening of the 26th of July in the jury-room, she said that as near as she could remember Mrs. Hartley stated to her that evening: "I said to him, turn your face to me, I never struck anyone in the back yet. As he turned I fired." Mrs. Logan said she could not say positively that Mrs. Hartley said, "I came from a family of warriors" at that time, but believed she had said something of that nature at another time; nor could she say positively that Mrs. Hartley said she was afraid that she had not struck him at the first shot. The lady stated that she had come to make a friendly call on Mrs. Hartley; that she was a married lady and a teacher.

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Trusting I may be favored in the future with the same generous practice the office has enjoyed in the past I shall endeavor to give thorough work and perfect satisfaction to all.

Very respectfully,  
Dr. R. P. CHANDLER.

Rooms 13 and 14, First National Bank building. ag28ml

Organization Perfected.

The Doughty Club met last night and perfected its organization by the election of John Murray Assistant Secretary, Geo. McLaughlin as First Vice-President, Lee Malott as Second Vice-President and O. H. Perry Treasurer. The Executive Committee is composed of R. C. Wills, P. Jacobs, S. T. Harvington to act in conjunction with the President and Secretary. The nights of meeting will be Tuesday night of each week.

Notice to Grand Jurors.

The members of the Grand Jury are hereby notified to meet at the Court-room Thursday, September 20th at 10 A.M. M. E. WARD, Foreman.

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Funeral Notice.

The funeral of the late J. N. Wallace will take place from the Congregational Church at 8 o'clock to-morrow (Sunday) afternoon. Friends and the public generally are invited to attend.

Our earth has been rapidly nearing

Mars all through the past Summer and under the laws of magnetism, as explained and illustrated by all great electricians, this coming together of

two great magnets necessarily sets in motion induction currents in both that resist the otherwise natural currents of both planets.

In causing great changes in weather conditions Mars at these two and fifteen year periods causes drouths in the highlands of Persia where the planet probably received its appellation of the God of War. Great drouths followed by famine are potent causes of war and in that light the planet may be entitled to its appellation.

### For Over Fifty Years

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children while teething. If disturbed at night and broken of rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth, send and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and immediately it will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers, there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhoea, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums, reduces Inflammation and gives Tone and Energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

### Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the liver and kidneys, will remove pimples, boils, salt rheum and other affections caused by impure blood—will drive malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all malarial fevers. For cure of headache, constipation and indigestion try electric bitters—entire satisfaction guaranteed, or money refunded. Price 50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle at S. J. Hodgkin's drug store.

### THE PLANET MARS.

This planet now rises in the northeast soon after sunset and its course lies near the sun's Summer path.

Being apparently the largest star in

sight and of a fiery red color it is easily distinguished from other stars.

It is now near its perihelion or closest point to the sun while the earth is near its aphelion or farthest point from the sun. This brings Mars nearer the earth and gives a most favorable opportunity for observing the planet. These opportunities occur at intervals of two and fifteen years apart.

In 1892 it was thus favorably situated

and will not again return to such close proximity to the earth till 1909. At perihelion Mars is twenty-six million miles nearer the sun than when at aphelion and a perihelion opposition of Mars is over twenty-seven million miles nearer the earth than an aphelion opposition. A perihelion opposition occurs next month.

For these reasons Mars is the most

interesting object of the heavens at

this time and astronomers are giving

special attention to it.

Seventeen years ago while it was near the earth two moons were discovered that had never before been seen and that were, within the fifteen years previous, flying comets.

In October Mars will be at opposition,

nearest the earth, and at its most favor-

able position for observation.

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## MONSTER OF ISSOIR.

## MYSTERY OF THE FOURTEENTH ARRONDISSEMENT OF PARIS.

Singular Disappearance of Many Inhabitants of the Quarter—Enticing Its Victims With Music—Death of the Gigantic Spider.

For many years it is undeniably stated that in the fourteenth arrondissement of Paris—called the tomb of Issoier—a number of persons living in that quarter had mysteriously and periodically disappeared. The most careful researches, the most minute inquiries, the most skillful agents of the police had failed to discover the least trace of them.

Every year successively some inhabitants of this quarter would suddenly disappear, leaving their friends overwhelmed with grief and anxiety. It is also stated that these strange, inexplicable facts always occurred in the early spring—from the 20th to the last of March—and without regard to age or sex.

First a notary disappeared. It was thought he had used his client's funds and fled to parts unknown. Then an old woman, returning late one night from market, was the next victim, then a laborer going home from work. The last victim had been a young girl—a flower maker out late delivering her goods. From that time she had completely disappeared as if the earth had opened and swallowed her up. Strange to say, no children had been among the victims.

This peculiar fact was accounted for in this way. These mysterious disappearances always occurred late at night, when the children were at home asleep. As the time was drawing near for one of these periodic mysteries the chief of police became very anxious and instituted a strict surveillance, confiding the matter to a number of the most skillful of his assistants, hoping the combined efforts of so many zealous agents would surely be crowned with success. You will now see the result.

On this—this fact can be verified by applying to the office of the prefecture—a policeman about 3 o'clock in the evening heard a distant musical song, which seemed to come from the bowels of the earth. He listened and fancied the sound came from an opening in the center of the street, at the foot of an enormous rock called the tomb of Issoier, the Giant's cave.

It may be interesting to state that this rock derived its name from a legend that a great giant had been buried there many years before the Christian era, and this rock had been placed there over the tomb.

Surprised at this strange discovery—for the opening had never been noticed before—the policeman waited, listening to this peculiar song, when he suddenly saw a young man approaching. He knew by his costume that he was a countryman lately arrived in the city. This young man also seemed to hear the subterranean sounds, first walking slowly with peculiar wavering step, as if in cadence with this musical chant, then faster and faster as he drew near the fatal rock, until he ran with such velocity that in spite of the warning cries of the policeman he was swallowed up in this mysterious opening. Without taking a moment to consider the policeman recklessly followed, first firing his revolver and giving one or two vigorous blasts on his whistle.

At this signal several of his comrades quickly arrived. The musical chanting had ceased, but they could hear in the dark, cavernous depths the muffled sounds of a desperate struggle. By the aid of ropes and ladders they succeeded in entering this mysterious chasm. The light of their lamps revealed a sickening sight.

The countryman was lying on his back writhing in the grasp of an unknown monster, whose horrid aspect froze the agents of police with terror.

It was as large as a full grown terrier, covered with wart-like protuberances and bristling with coarse brown hair. Eight pointed legs, terminated by formidable claws, were buried in the body of the unfortunate victim. The face had already disappeared. Nothing could be seen but the top of the head, and the monster was now engaged in tearing and sucking the blood from his victim.

As soon as they recovered from their terror and surprise a dozen balls struck the body of this sanguinary beast.

He raised up on his legs, greenish, bloody liquid flowing from his wounds, and, with a frightful cry, expired.

The first policeman, who had given the alarm, was lying unconscious in one corner of the cavern, where he had fallen, a distance of 30 feet.

It was with great difficulty they succeeded in removing the two bodies and the unknown monster from the cavern. The poor countryman was dead, but the policeman was soon restored to life.

The agents immediately sent for the commissioner of police, who summoned a naturalist in great haste.

The first established the identity of the victim; the second declared the creature lying before him was a gigantic spider. The species had been considered extinct for centuries—ever since the days before the deluge. It was called "Arachne gigantea" and was said to have the power of enticing its victims by a peculiar musical song. None had been seen or heard of for ages, but it is now believed some of these sanguinary beasts still exist in the deepest galleries of the catacombs.

The dead body of the spider was conveyed to the Museum of Natural History, where it was carefully prepared and stuffed and is now on exhibition. Once a week.

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Mamma—What, dear?  
Johnnie—Why, this baby is a philistine—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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No. 2—Pacing and trotting; 2:25 class; purse, \$200.

No. 3—Running; ¾ mile dash; purse, \$200.

Second Day—Wednesday, Oct. 3  
No. 4—Running; ¾ mile dash; purse, \$175.

No. 5—Trotting and Pacing; best two in three; for three-year-olds and under; purse, \$175.

No. 6—Handicapping; handicap mile dash; free-for-all; purse, \$200.

No. 7—Running; ¾ mile dash; purse, \$175.

Third Day—Thursday, Oct. 4  
No. 8—Running; ¾ mile dash; purse, \$175.

No. 9—Trotting and Pacing; 2:34 class; purse, \$200.

No. 10—Running; ¾ mile dash; purse, \$175.

Fourth Day—Friday, Oct. 5  
No. 11—Running; ¾ mile dash; free-for-all; purse, \$200.

No. 12—Trotting and Pacing; two in three; for three-year-olds and under; purse, \$175.

No. 13—Running; ¾ mile dash; purse, \$175.

Fifth Day—Saturday Oct. 6  
No. 14—Running; handicap mile dash; free-for-all; purse, \$200.

No. 15—Running; ¾ mile and repeat; purse, \$150.

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13—In all handicaps weights to be announced at 1 o'clock in the afternoon previous to the day of the race.